

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re PATENT APPLICATION OF

WALDMANN et al

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For: ANTIBODY VARIANTS

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March 5, 2001

AMENDMENT

Hon. Commissioner of Patents  
and Trademarks  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated  
September 5, 2000, in the above matter, the period for  
response having been extended up to March 5, 2001, by  
submission of the required petition and fee herewith.  
Kindly amend the above-identified application as follows.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 1, after the title, insert the following new  
paragraph: